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ANTICIPATE GREATEST CONVENTION IN HISTORY

Charleroi to be Mecca for Sunday School Workers Next Week

CONCERT FIRST EVENT

Monster Chorus to Give Recital Under Direction of Prof. I. T. Daniel

Charleroi will be the mecca of Sunday School and religious workers from all over Washington county next week when the Seventeenth Annual county Sunday School convention will be held. Many hundred visitors will be here as delegates to the convention, which it is expected by county officers will be the largest and best in the county's history, and in addition to this number there will be hundreds of others who will be irresistibly drawn here by the big event.

Final preparations are now being made by the county executive cabinet and the Charleroi district execu-

Voting on Bond Issue

North Charleroi Electors Deciding Today on \$14,000 Proposal

North Charleroi voters are today deciding whether or not the borough will be bonded to the extent of \$1,100 for the purpose of paying off a floating indebtedness and providing a fund for the purpose of borough improvement. It is believed the sentiment will be sufficiently favorable that the proposal will carry. It is intended in that event that \$10,000 of the amount be used to pay off the floating indebtedness and the balance, \$1,000, be used for street improvements.

SUNDAY SHINES TABOOED

Monessen Assumes Virtuous Attitude on Tender Subject

BURGESS ISSUES EDICT

Whether to be in fashion in the science of creating sensations or whether influenced by the Billy Sunday meetings being held somewhere up in Beaver county or whether just as a local notion is something not ascertained, but Monessen has taken a turn at being virtuous. Its virtue consists in it is said in having the shoe shine parlors closed down after 10 o'clock each Sunday morning. Such a wonderful reform, it is authoritatively stated, has created a big stir.

It is understood that previous to this, there has never been any attempt made to enforce the Blue Laws or their first cousin, Burgess Reamer came to the conclusion last week after various hints had been centered at him that it might be a good idea to have a trial of a new scheme that would figure in reality as a relative of the Blue Laws. His order to close the shoe shine shops Sundays followed. Consequently late risers had to do without their customary Sunday polishing or play shine themselves.

It is claimed by some that Monessen is still a place where such a thing as Sunday observance in the religious sense has become a lost art. In another sense Sunday observance has become a science. Indicating this

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No You Play Tennis?

If so come in and let us sell you a new Racket. Complete Line of Tennis Goods. Night's Book Store. 265-41

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Rev. Murray C. Reiter, of Canonsburg
President of the Washington County Sunday School Association

tive cabinet for the affair. The largest meetings of the convention will be held in a big convention tent that will be pitched on the grounds owned by the government at the corner of Seventh street and Fallowfield avenue. This tent will cover the greatest part of the six lots there. It has just arrived from Chicago, and likely the work of erecting it will be started this week.

The first event of note in connection with the convention will be a concert and recital to be given by the Charleroi Choral Society Wednesday evening, June 19. This will be truly one of the features of convention week. Prof. I. T. Daniel, supervisor of music in the Charleroi public schools will direct this concert. Excellent chorus numbers are being prepared. The heaviest chorus selection will be the "Hallelujah Chorus" from Handel's Messiah. Other chorus numbers will be "Praise Ye The Father," by Gounod, "The Song of the Triton," and "Old Black Joe," the latter being a tuneful and beautiful arrangement of Stephen Foster.

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J. K. Tener, Pres. S. A. Walton, Vice Pres. R. H. Rush, Cashier.

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RIBARIK BRAVELY MEETS HIS DOOM

Canonsburg Murderer Stolid Up Until Moment of His Hanging at Washington--Arose Early, Eating No Breakfast

His nerve never breaking and his apparent unconcern showing to the end, Jan Ribarik, the Canonsburg murderer of two men and one woman met his doom this morning shortly after 10 o'clock when he was hanged in the county jail at Washington. He was pronounced dead in 19 minutes by the physicians in attendance, after the trap was sprung. Apparently his neck was not broken.

Ribarik arose at 5 o'clock this morning and dressed. He ate no breakfast. At 9 o'clock his daughter came to bid him farewell. This was the daughter upon whom he had previously blamed all his trouble, but who was lately forgiven by Ribarik. Ribarik was accompanied to the scaffold by his chosen spiritual advisor.

He made a demonstration as if to strike her. The door was quickly closed and the interview terminated.

Ribarik's hanging was the first strike in the Washington jail since that of Elmer Deems.

Ribarik was a negro some years ago, for killing a family of three.

VERY FEW HOUSES NOW TO BE RENTED

Hard to Find Vacant Homes In Charleroi--Rather Remarkable Considering State of Industrial Affairs

One of the anomalies of Charleroi is that at the present time there are practically no vacant houses for rent; that is, what is known as good houses. Every desirable house is taken, and about the only available domicile is what is known as the "shack" variety, and even these are not plentiful at all times. This condition, at a time when the Pittsburgh Plate Glass factory has been idle for a year as well as the Charleroi Coal Works, at which about 1,000 people were formerly employed, is somewhat remarkable.

The chief cause for this condition, according to local real estate men, is that Charleroi is a desirable residence town. While many moved away when the Plate Glass factory shut down, many more moved in, particularly from Monessen. The big steel interests has filled up that town to

such an extent that street car service is necessary in many cases to reach desirable residence districts by those employed at the mills there, and many of these now live in Charleroi. This town is also the residence place of a number of citizens who travel. The demand for residences for outside people is increasing, and more good houses could be rented right along if they were available.

Charleroi has good schools and churches, and is a clean and well governed town. It is the most desirable residence town in the whole valley, and it is now the recognized headquarters for those who work up and down the valley in an industrial and commercial capacity. Scarcely a day passes that there is not an inquiry for desirable houses for rent, as well as flats and rooms for light housekeeping.

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The only exceptions are county roads, sections of routes extending through boroughs and roads owned or controlled by toll-road corporations or other private corporations.

The state in the Sproul road act has numbered these roads and they will be found enumerated below. The supervisor for the care and maintenance of these roads recently appointed is Ner O. Brownlee of Buffalo township, who has already taken up his work. Supervisor Brownlee who enters upon his work with years of experience back of him as a road man will have the general supervision of all these roads in Washington county, that is, have the care and maintenance of them. Mr. Brownlee will have nothing to do with new work, only the looking after of those roads already constructed. There is one exception and that is the National pike. At the present time this road in this county

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COMES TO DEFENSE OF HIS ANCESTRY

Edward Callaghan Makes

Speech and Reads Letters

From Secretary of War

MINERS TO HOLD PICNIC AT DORA

Decision is Reached at Meet-

ing of Delegates of

Sub-District

IS AFTER DETRACTORS

Oppose Halapy's Plan

In order to refute a charge reflect-

ing upon the Irish race that arose in his canvass as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the Presidency of the United States, Hon. Edward Callaghan made an address

Monday evening at the corner of Fifth street and Fallowfield avenue. The charge had been made that out of 144,000 enlistments of Irish in the United States army during the civil war there were 104,000 deserters. These figures were purported to have been taken from the reports of the war department at Washington.

Mailing the memorandum to the war department Mr. Callaghan sent a letter of explanation, and asked if the charges could be verified. Expressing his disbelief that the charges were true, Mr. Callaghan said, in his letter to Secretary of War Dickinson:

"If the enclosed figures are correct

FOR BOARD AND ROOM call at 538 Washington avenue. 265-44p

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MAY START BUILDING WORK LAST OF MONTH

Wilson The Man Killed

Identification is Made of Stranger Found Dead on Tracks at Fayette City

The mangled body of the man found on the railroad track near the Fayette City coal tipple at Fayette City Sunday has been identified as the body of John Clarence Wilson, of Newell. It is said that Wilson had left home Sunday, his family not knowing where he had gone. After hearing of the finding of a man's body at Fayette City, one of the sons went to that place late Monday and identified the man as his father. The widow and six children survive.

ASSUMES CONTROL OF ROADS

State Department Notifies County Commissioners of Change

PLANS ARE ANNOUNCED

County Commissioners Thomas Hill, John A. Berry and A. P. Barnum, Saturday received a letter from E. A. Jones, a deputy in the State Highway department at Harrisburg, officially notifying them that since June 1, the state through that department had assumed control and full charge of the sections of certain named and numbered routes of which certain roads in Washington county are a part. These are the state highways designated in the general highway bill upon which the \$50,000,000 will be spent during the next few years under the direction of the department of which E. M. Bigelow is the head. The only exceptions are county roads, sections of routes extending through boroughs and roads owned or controlled by toll-road corporations or other private corporations.

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Notice.

Sealed bids for the furnishing of

Paper Goods and other general sup-

plies for Charleroi Public Schools

will be received by the Secretary, J.

M. Hill until Tuesday evening, July

2 at 6 o'clock. Board reserves the

right to reject any or all bids. List

of supplies can be had from the Sec-

retary.

J. M. Hill, Sec.

265-42-w

June Weddings

Perhaps we can help you solve the

troublesome gift problem. We shall

be glad to show you a carefully se-

lected assortment of suitable g

for the happy pair. Useful and pret-

ty things in cut glass, silver-ware, or-

namental pieces of all sorts.

As to prices. We will simply say

that in buying our stock, we have

kept in mind two requisites. First,

high quality and tasteful designs, sec-

ond the lowest consistent prices.

John B. Schafer

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dence of good faith and not neces-
sarily for publication, must invariably
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tion, 5 cents a line each additional in-
sition.

LOCAL AGENCIES

G. S. Might.....Charleroi
Mrs. Belle Sharpnack....Lock No. 4
L. T. Hixenbaugh....Belle Vernon

June 11 In American History.
1776—The Continental congress named
the committee of five to draft the
Declaration of Independence.

1870—William Gilmore Simms, novel-
ist of southern life, died; born 1800.
1898—Spaniards attacked United States
marines at Guantánamo: first fight
of Americans in Cuba.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.
(From noon today to noon tomorrow.)
Sun sets 7:30, rises 4:28 Evening
Stars: Mars, Jupiter. Morning stars:
Venus, Mercury, Saturn.

CHRISTIAN CITIZENSHIP.

The interest manifested in the ap-
proaching county Sunday school con-
vention, which is to be held in Char-
leroi next week, shows the magni-
tude and zeal of Sunday school work
throughout the country. This awak-
ening, particularly among the men,
is a demonstration of the great
growth of Christian citizenship that
is causing such a revival of the Dem-
ocratic spirit in every state in the
union. Men are realizing for the first
time their individual responsibility
of citizenship, and that merely to
profess the precepts of Christianity
is not sufficient for working out the
destiny and salvation of man. They
must live up to these precepts and
work for their influence in every phase
of life.

For the first time, perhaps, leaders
in social reform are realizing that the
best means for attaining Christian
citizenship is not to try to induce men
to vote and work in a certain way,
but extra efforts are being put forth
to induce men to go to the polls and
vote. Party affiliation cuts little figure
provided every elector casts his bal-
lot for the candidate of his choice.

The great majority of voters are men
of morality and good impulses, and
so long as all vote there is little dan-
ger of getting bad men in office. The
danger in that line heretofore has
been that many men did not vote at
all, and a minority with special in-
terest to serve has always been able
to elect their candidates and control
the government.

Now a new tack has been made.
Churches and civic bodies are lining
their voters up and urging them to
attend the suggestion meetings and
caucuses, and to vote at the primaries
and general election. No matter how
or for whom they vote, the great and
burning question is to take a hand
in the elections and vote. If a voter
is imbued with the true spirit of ci-
tizenship as the majority of them are,
he will select the best men of his
party as the candidates of his choice.
When this is done there is little to fear.

Indifference has heretofore been the
cause of all the political corruption
and misgovernment.

LABOR AND LIVING.

Coal cutting machines and coke
drawing and loading machines are
supplanting labor at the coke works,
and steam shovels and steam rollers
are doing the work of many men in
building railroads and public high-
ways, says the Connellsville Courier.

Time was when these would have
been denounced as inventions of the
devil, created for the purpose of tak-
ing the bread out of the mouths of the
workingmen. In those days there was
always more men than jobs; now
there is more employment than labor.
Then the laboring man received low
wages and enjoyed few comforts;
now he gets good wages and regards
as necessities what were a short
time since luxuries.

This is his fortune, not his fault.
He is enjoying the general uplift in
living conditions, which we hear vi-
olently denounced every now and then
as the high cost of living.

This complaint is, however, not
without reason. The conditions con-
spire to make high prices, but dealers
frequently and arbitrarily raise
prices to extortiate attitudes. These
extortions are popularly blamed on
the various Food Trusts, and perhaps
with reason, but it remains a fact
that extortion is practiced all the way
down the line to the retail dealers.
It was recently discovered that Pitts-
burgh retail dealers in green goods
were exceeding the tariff limit and
the wholesalers for a time published
their prices to show just how and
where the public was being pinched.

It speaks much for the progress of
our country that despite the introduc-
tion of labor-saving devices of every
description the wages of labor have
steadily increased and the home com-
forts and advantages have constantly
multiplied. That is the way it should
be. Steady prosperity is a blessing
the avarice that prompts extortion is
a curse.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

Sometimes one is tempted to wonder
if conventions don't tend to add
to the high cost of living.

Bryan admits that Roosevelt sees
what he did, but claims priority of
claim, which is just like W. J.

A real reformer is an umpire who
is willing to turn a new leaf and man-
age a ball club.

The way to make sure of happy
memories is to marry them.

It usually happens that when a
man buys a new hat his friends are
as ready to tell him how to wear it
as though it were a gold medal.

Ed. Howe, the Atchison, Kan., phil-
osopher suggests that everyth-
ing ought to be settled as effectually as
supremacy in baseball. Imagine Taft
and Roosevelt playing it off.

So far as can be learned Congress
has accomplished this year the ar-
duous tasks of investigating Lorimer,
listening to Lorimer's speech, seeing
to it that Lorimer and hundreds of
other speeches on Lorimer were put
into the Congressional Record and re-
porting Lorimer's case satisfactorily
to him. As a matter of rest some of
them prepared a bill or two to spend
their spare time fighting it over.

It was never known until the other
day why the cost of milk was so high.
Roosevelt is consuming such quan-
tities of it that the supply is becom-
ing limited.

Men with the worst memories, while
debtors have the best memori- as
creditors.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

A woman who was a recent visitor
in Charleroi told how the young son
of a friend qualified at boarding
school. Jimmie which was the lad's
name, was most popular at home, but
his first week at school found him too
homesick to make friends.

"I'm way behind the other boys in
everything," he wrote dolefully.
"Isn't only studies, but it's gym-
nasium and banjos and everything.
I don't believe they'll ever have much
use for me."

But the second letter, written after

a week in the new school, was quite
different in tone.

"I'm all right," he wrote to his mo-
ther. "The boys say they'll teach me
all they know, for they're proud to
have me here. I can stretch my mouth
half an inch wider than any other
boy in school, and my feet are the
longest by a full inch. So you needn't
worry about me any more."

"These advertisements of midsum-
mer bargains that are beginning to
appear in the papers reminds me of
George Lusden, a former pioneer
shoe dealer of Charleroi, who used to
have some most original terms and
expressions," said a Charleroi busi-
ness man. "Passing Lusden's shoe
store one day, where he was stand-
ing in the doorway, surrounded by
bargain trays of marked down shoes
I asked:

"How's business George?"

"Good!" he exclaimed. "I got rid
of a pair of 'old crabs' today."

"Old crabs?" I asked. "What are
they?"

"Old stock—the 9's, 10's and 11's
of the styles of year before last and
the year before that and farther
back," he replied.

"But why do you call them crabs?"

"Oh, because they're such slow
moving stuff."

SUNDAY SHINES

ARE TABOOED

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the Monessen Independent says:

"If you want a measure taken for a
suit of clothes there will be no trouble
experienced. The tailor shop is open.

If you want a load of groceries, a
dish of ice cream, a cigar, an order of
meat, a pair of shoes, or anything
most that is necessary for the house-
hold, it is on the market Sunday as
well as any other day. Those who
like a wide open town have no hesi-
tancy in coming to Monessen on Sun-
day."

Entertained at Washington.

Mrs. R. M. Smith of Akron, Ohio,
who has been visiting her parents, Mr.
and Mrs. S. J. Richardson of Lincoln
avenue, was at Washington Monday,
where Mrs. A. V. Lewis gave a
juncheon and bridge party at the
country club in her honor.

Sale of Bonds.

The Committee on Finance of the
School District of the Borough of
Charleroi will receive sealed bids at
the Charleroi Savings & Trust Co.
in the Borough of Charleroi, up until
Thursday, June 20th, 1912, at 4:30
o'clock p.m., for the purchase of
70, 4 1/2 per cent, Tax Free,
Coupon Bonds of denomination of
\$1,000.00, numbered from 1 to 70,
both numbers inclusive; dated July
1, 1912, and principal payable at the
office of the Treasurer of the School
District in the Borough of Charleroi,
as follows: \$3,000.00 on July 1, 1915;
\$1,000.00 on July 1, 1916; \$1,
000.00 on July 1, 1917; \$3,000.00 on
July 1, 1918; \$3,000.00 on July 1,
1920; \$1,000.00 on July 1, 1921; \$3,
000.00 on July 1, 1923; \$2,000.00 on
July 1, 1924; \$2,000.00 on July 1,
1926; \$2,000.00 on July 1, 1927;
\$4,000.00 on July 1, 1930; \$4,000.00
on July 1, 1932; \$4,000.00 on July 1,
1933; \$4,000.00 on July 1, 1935; \$4,
000.00 on July 1, 1936; \$4,000.00 on
July 1, 1937; \$5,000.00 on July 1,
1938; \$5,000.00 on July 1, 1939; \$5,
000.00 on July 1, 1940; \$5,000.00 on
July 1, 1941; \$5,000.00 on July 1,
1942; and interest payable at the
office of the Treasurer of the School
district, semi-annually, on January
1st, and July 1st.

Said bonds are issued for the
purpose of erecting, furnishing and
equipping a School Building for said
district.

All bids to be mailed to J. M.
Hilli, Secretary of the School Board,
Charleroi, Pa., marked "Bid for
Bonds," and each bid must be accom-
panied with certified check for two
per cent of amount of bonds bid for;
the right to reject any and all bids
reserved to the School District.

T. R. Eagey
H. J. Booth
R. C. Mountsier
Committee of Finance
J-8-11-13

LEGAL NOTICE

To Emma Young and Oscar Hartley,
guardian of Harry B. Young
Abraham L. Young, Amy M. Bradbury,
Mary E. Wingert (or Wingett) and
James E. Young, heirs of Morgan
Young, deceased, or the heirs or
assigns of any of above parties or any
other interested parties.

Notice is hereby given that the
Court of Common Pleas of Wash-
ington County, Pennsylvania, by pro-
ceedings filed in the Prothonotary's

office of said County, at Number 184
November Term, 1911, approved and

directed to be filed a bond of The
Pennsylvania, Monongahela & South-
ern Railroad Company, with the
American Surety Company of New
York, as surety thereon in the sum
of One Thousand Nine Hundred (\$1,
900.00) Dollars, for the use of the
person or persons who may be found
to be entitled to the damages for the
taking and appropriation, or materials,
or for the damage or injury to
a tract of land situated in East
Bethlehem Township, Washington
County, Pennsylvania, which is bound-
ed and described as follows:

All that certain triangular shaped
lot or piece of land situated in the
Township of East Bethlehem, County
of Washington and State of Penn-
sylvania, bounded and described as

follows: an acre, more or less

That upon petition of the said
Railroad company and of Emma
Young and Oscar Hartley, guardian
of Harry B. Young, the following
viewers, to wit, Grant E. Hess, Esq.,
William Wylie, C. E. and C. C. Dunn
were appointed by the said Court to
assess such damages as the owners
of said land sustained and fixed the
time for meeting of the said viewers
upon the premises for Thursday,
the 27th day of June, 1911, at one o'clock
p. m.

All interested parties may be
present or represented at the meeting
of said viewers and at any sub-
sequent proceedings if they so desire.

Grant E. Hess,
William Wylie,
C. C. Dunn,

Viewers.
Sheriff's Office, Washington, Pa.

June 3rd, 1912.

R. G. Lutton, Sheriff. J-4-7-11-14

FOR RENT

6 rooms and bath, Wash Ave. \$20.00.

5 rooms, Lookout Ave., \$15.00.

4 rooms, McKean Ave., \$12.50.

6 rooms, Luella Ave., \$12.50.

6 rooms, Oakland Ave., \$12.00.

4 rooms, McKean Ave., \$12.00.

Flat, 3 rooms and bath, McKean Ave.,

\$14.00.

Flat, 5 rooms and bath, Fallowfield

Ave., \$13.00.

Flat, 6 rooms and bath, Fallowfield

Ave., \$25.00.

Flat, 4 rooms, Fallowfield Ave., \$11.00.

Several Properties for Sale on Easy

Payments.

J. A. HEPLER

411 Fallowfield Avenue

I will guarantee you to stop that itch in two
seconds. A 25-cent bottle will prove it.

No remedy that I have ever sold for

Eczema, Psoriasis, and all other diseases
of the skin has given more thorough

satisfaction than the

D. D. D. Prescription for Eczema

I guarantee this remedy.

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ter's divine melody. A women's chorus number, "May Morning," by Denzi, and a male chorus number "Absence," by Dudley Buck will constitute a portion of the program. One of the finer numbers, it is expected though will be the noted Sextet from Lucia. Nearly everyone is familiar with this exquisite bit of melody and harmony, and many have heard it rendered by grand opera singers. Readings will fill out the program.

The two convention days, June 20 and 21, will be packed full of good things for Sunday School people. It is doubtful if all the delegates themselves will be on hand and registered on the first morning of the convention until the program is well underway. The first event that will attract public attention will be a children's parade on Thursday morning, at 10 o'clock.

Conferences will constitute the feature of the two days' session. All the various departments of Sunday School work as carried on by the county will have conferences and at least two will have banquets.

ASSUMES CONTROL OF ROADS

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is under the supervision of Jacob Zelt, Jr., for the eastern end and Nelson McNeal for the western end. But all the other state roads enumerated in these routes and any other roads under the State Highway department will have Mr. Brownlee's supervision.

The routes in Washington county are as follows:

No. 108—From Pittsburg to Washington.

No. 109—From Washington to Waynesburg.

No. 113—From Uniontown to Washington.

No. 114—From Washington to the West Virginia state line.

No. 115—From Washington to Beaver.

No. 118—From Greensburg to Washington by way of Charleroi, Fallowfield, Bentleville, Vanceville and Zediker into Washington.

No. 181—From Washington to Greensburg.

No. 242—From Washington to the West Virginia state line.

No. 247—From Pittsburg to Uniontown by way of Finleyville and Monongahela City to Charleroi; thence route 118 to Belle Vernon; thence by way of Fayette City, Star Junction and Vanderbilt to Connellsville; thence over 117 into Uniontown, Fayette county.

No. 268—From Greensburg to Waynesburg—Commencing in Greensburg and running over route 118 to Charleroi; thence by way of Allenport, California, West Brownsville and Millsboro to a point on the dividing line between Washington and Greene counties; thence by way of Clarksburg and Jefferson into Waynesburg, Greene county.

COMES TO DEFENSE OF HIS ANCESTRY

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I want the seal of approval on them. I will then withdraw as the Democratic candidate for President, and renounce my allegiance to the United States, and leave this country forever. If they are not correct, I want the secretary of war to proceed at once to locate and punish the guilty parties for defaming a warlike race, and compromising the United States government."

In reply Secretary of War Dickinson sent to Mr. Callaghan some memorandums, stating that no compilation had ever been made by the government showing the nativity of the whole number of men accepted for military service during the civil war. The actual number of deserters during the civil war are unknown, but approximately 117,247 were reported, many from whom this disability has since been removed.

In scoring and refuting these charges, Mr. Callaghan read the entire correspondence between himself and Secretary Dickinson. He also stated that his speech was not in the interest of any individual Irishman or faction, but was in the interests of the whole race, which he defended from the aspersions cast upon it. He also stated that he knew of Irishmen holding office under the Taft administration who, if he (Callaghan) were



They Are Still Coming To
ADOLPH'S BIG SHOE SALE
SPECIAL This Week!
Men's and Ladies' Oxfords and Shoes
\$1 Pair
It's Adolph, of Course

elected President would be asked to get out.

"I believe like Jackson that to the victor belongs the spoils," said Mr. Callaghan, "and if the civil service law prevented me from appointing a man to office that I knew voted for me, I would fight to have the civil service law repealed."

MOST MARVELOUS KIDNEY REMEDY

W. F. Hennings and Piper Bros. Sell It On Money Back Plan for all Kidney, Bladder and Female Diseases.

If you are troubled with backache, sideache, spots before eyes, dizziness or high colored urine, the chances are you have sick kidneys and ought to be taking Thompson's Barosma right now.

We have grateful testimonials from people who know that Thomson's Barosma has cured them and will send this proof to any one.

Being liquid the very first dose begins to act on the kidneys and free them from the poisonous matter that is clogging them and rapidly bringing on Bright's disease or some other serious disorder.

When constipation is present Thompson's Dandelion and Mandrake Pills (25 cents) should always be taken. Two sizes of Thompson's Barosma—50 cents and \$1.00 at Piper Bros. and W.F. Hennings, Thompson Medical Co., Titusville, Pa.

COUNTY OFFICERS COMING TONIGHT

LOCAL MENTION

Don Pyle Hawkins, Beallsville correspondent of the Mail, and local editor of the Bentleville Times, together with Dr. L. D. Sargeant, of Beallsville, were in Charleroi this morning on their way to Donora to attend a medical meeting.

I. D. Haines is moving from Sharon to Charleroi.

Dr. H. E. Frye, of Bentleville, was a visitor in Charleroi.

Ewing B. Todd is spending the day in Pittsburgh.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. McVay are spending the day in Pittsburgh.

Miss Margaret Jones, of Pittsburgh, is visiting friends in Charleroi.

Miss Lulu Trew visited in Pittsburgh Monday.

Mrs. Carl Burnett, of Sharpsburg, has returned home after spending a few days at the home of Mrs. L. R. Walters, of Meadow avenue.

Miss Vida Goehring of Meadow avenue is spending the day in Pittsburgh.

Ralph Grandstaff and William Wade of Cleveland, Ohio were over Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Sanders.

Mrs. B. Matson and Mrs. I. Yarnall of Meadow avenue have gone to Logan, Ohio, to attend the funeral of their father, Mr. Buchanan who died of cancer.

Miss Fairley of Duquesne is visiting her sister, Mrs. S. H. N. Gerwig of Washington avenue.

George E. Niver went to Washington Sunday to work on the engineer corps of the State Highway Department. He is now located at Hickory.

COKEBURG MAN HURT IN FIGHT

Unable to attend the conference of district officers of the Charleroi district Washington County Sunday School Association here last week, some of the county officers are expected to attend a weekly district cabinet meeting tonight, which will be held in Christ Lutheran church. Rev. Murray C. Reiter, president of the county association and Mrs. Mary L. Stewart the county field secretary, will both probably be here. Matters of final preparation for the convention will be taken up.

Norris Bang, a well known meat dealer of Cokeburg, is at his home suffering from numerous stab wounds and in a serious condition as the result of a free for all fight, precipitated it is claimed, by foreigners who were refused beer at the picnic of the Cokeburg Lodge of Owls Sunday afternoon. A foreigner whose name is unknown and who is charged with having caused Bang's wounds is in the lockup at Cokeburg held pending the outcome of Bang's injuries.

THREE PLEADERS ARE SENTENCED

Three pleaders were before the court at Washington Monday morning for sentence. James Singleton of Washington, a barber, entered a plea of guilty to a charge of desertion and non support preferred by his wife, Mary Singleton. He was directed to pay the costs, pay his wife \$5 a week and give bond for the faithful compliance with the order in the sum of \$500.

Irvin Artis, a young man of Carroll township, entered a plea of guilty to a serious charge preferred by Martha Hoag. He was directed to pay the prosecutrix \$20 and \$2 a week for a specified period, and pay the costs of the case. He is to give bond in the sum of \$500, giving his own recognizance for compliance with the order.

Martin Miller of the Frances mine, near Burgettstown, was sentenced to pay the costs and a fine of \$10 on a charge of assault and battery.

Eleven roomed frame house or property of Charleroi School District, Crest avenue and Sixth street. To be removed by purchaser. Bids to be in hands of secretary not later than June 11. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

J. M. Hill, Secretary
260-15

MONESSEN ORDER CELEBRATES SUNDAY

With a parade in which it is estimated there were almost 2,000 men in line, the Croatian Beneficial Society No. 194 N. C. S. of Monessen Sunday afternoon celebrated the tenth anniversary of the founding of their local branch. Five bands, 15 automobiles filled with the speakers, officers of the order and distinguished guests and the marchers after traversing the principal streets of the town proceeded to McMahan borough where a speakers' stand had been erected and where also a dozen sheep were being sold to be served at a supper given in the evening.

Delegations were present from all of the river valley towns and many from Pittsburgh. Local societies assisted in the ceremonies there being a total of eleven different orders in line.

Martin Miller of the Frances mine, near Burgettstown, was sentenced to pay the costs and a fine of \$10 on a charge of assault and battery.

Few cents you can make your floors look very inviting with LAWRENCE Floor Paints. Bowers Hardware Co., 540 Fallowfield avenue and 6th street Charleroi, Pa.

FOR SALE.

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CLIMAX WASHING TABLETS
Saves Bubbling.
Whitens Clothes.
ASK YOUR GROCER FOR IT

MRS. STEVENS RECOVERS

After Years of Suffering, Tells How Her Health Was Regained.

Waurika, Okla.—"I had female troubles for seven years, was all run down, and so nervous I could not do anything. The doctors treated me for different things but did me no good. I got so bad that I could not sleep day or night. While in this condition I read of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and began its use and wrote to you for special advice. In a short time I had regained my health and am now strong and well." —Mrs. SALLIE STEVENS, R. F. D., No. 2, Comanche, Okla.

Another Woman Recovers.

Newton, N.H.—"For five years I suffered from female weakness and dragging down pains. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has restored my health and the pains are gone." —Mrs. F. A. PEASLEE, R. F. D., Box 88.

Because your case is a difficult one, doctors having done you no good, do not continue to suffer without giving Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial. It surely has remedied many cases of female ills, such as inflammation, ulceration, displacements, tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, and it may be exactly what you need.

If you want special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.

DON'T BE MISLED

Charleroi Citizens Should Read and Heed This Advice.

Kidney trouble is dangerous and often fatal.

Don't experiment with something new and untried.

Use a tested and proven kidney remedy.

Begin with Doan's Kidney Pills. Used in kidney troubles 75 years. Doan's have cured thousands.

Are recommended here and everywhere.

A Charleroi citizen's statement forms convincing proof.

It's local testimony—it can be investigated.

Mrs. B. Mahoney, 823 McLean avenue, Charleroi, Pa., says: "For a long time a member of our family complained of pains in the small of the back. Seeing Doan's Kidney Pills highly advertised, a box was procured at Piper Bros' Drug Store and their use was begun. They brought such great relief that I do not hesitate to recommend them to other kidney sufferers."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N.Y., sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Tuberculosis Medicine Saved This Man's Life

Pneumonia is a serious disease and often lays the foundation for chronic lung troubles—sometimes Tuberculosis results. After Pneumonia, or any serious or stubborn cold, it is wise to take Eckman's Alternative.

Don't wait to find out whether the trouble is getting worse, but take Eckman's Alternative in time and avoid the dangers of disease. Read of the recovery in this case:

338 No. 4th St., Philadelphia, Pa.

"Gentlemen, I am getting along very nicely and gaining strength all the time. I now weigh 152 pounds, and got 50 pounds since September 16, 1907, and 22 pounds more when I first started to take the Alternative. I wish I had known of it two years ago as it would have saved me much misery and distress.

"I was suffering from a very serious attack of lung, which followed a bad attack of pneumonia. My physician and a specialist declared my case hopeless.

"I cannot but be very thankful to you and the Almighty God for the great blessing and change of health it has brought me."

"Since writing the above statement I wish to say, that I have fully recovered my health, having been cured for over three years."

(Signed) Alford T. REILLY.

Eckman's Alternative is effective in Bronchitis, Asthma, Hay Fever; Throat and Lung Troubles, and in upbuilding the system. Does not contain poisons, or habit-forming drugs. Ask for booklet of cured cases and write to Eckman Laboratory, Philadelphia, Pa., for more evidence. For sale by all leading druggists and

W. F. HENNINGS

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SHOE POLISH
Quick
Lasting
Brilliant
Waterproof
an Dealers 10¢
No Turpentine
F. DALLEY CO., Ltd.
Buffalo, N. Y.
Hamilton, Ont.

The Opportunity of the Hour Sacrifice Sale

Sale Begins Today, Ends Monday, June 24

7500 Yards BRESSELS CARPET--Our Entire Line at
Sacrifice Prices--Hundreds of Rugs at Cut Prices

The most wonderful Carpet Price Reduction ever offered by this store, or for that matter by any store in this valley. These are ruinous prices and its your opportunity to make Big Savings. There's a reason and speaking plain-- we're loaded with Carpets-- One hundred and fifty rolls and they are selling too slowly--that's not our way--Out they go, if they wont sell at a profit, we'll sell them at a loss, that's the story, and now is your chance to pocket our loss--Don't put off, but make up your mind to get some of these splendid Carpet Values while the price is off. Hundreds of Rugs go on sale at Remarkable Cuts--every item will be just as we advertise-- Hotels and other large users should come to this sale--if price cutting will do it--There will be a lot of Carpets sold this week.

Brussel Carpets

8 ROLLS of Seven W: Tapestry Brussel Carpet, all wool top carpet. The come Florals and Oriental designs. Colors reds, greens, and tans, worth regular \$8c yd. Our special price includes making, laying and lining 59c

7 ROLLS of Seven Wire Smith's Tapestry Brussels Carpets. Neat design for Halls, Stairs and Bed Rooms. These styles are all pretty and at these special prices you should hasten to supply your needs. Prices includes making, laying, lining, 68c

6 ROLLS of Smith's eight Wire Tapestry Brussels Carpets. These are made by the famous Alex. Smith & Son carpet mills and are the best grade of Eight Wire, wool top Brussels. These come in Reds, Tans and Greens, and the price was 90c. Our special sale price includes making, laying and lining, 69c

15 ROLLS Smith's eight Wire Brussels Carpets in neat patterns, small figures, also some florals and orientals, most any color you need, and our lowest price was 90c. For this sale as long as they last they will be made, laid and lined for 75c

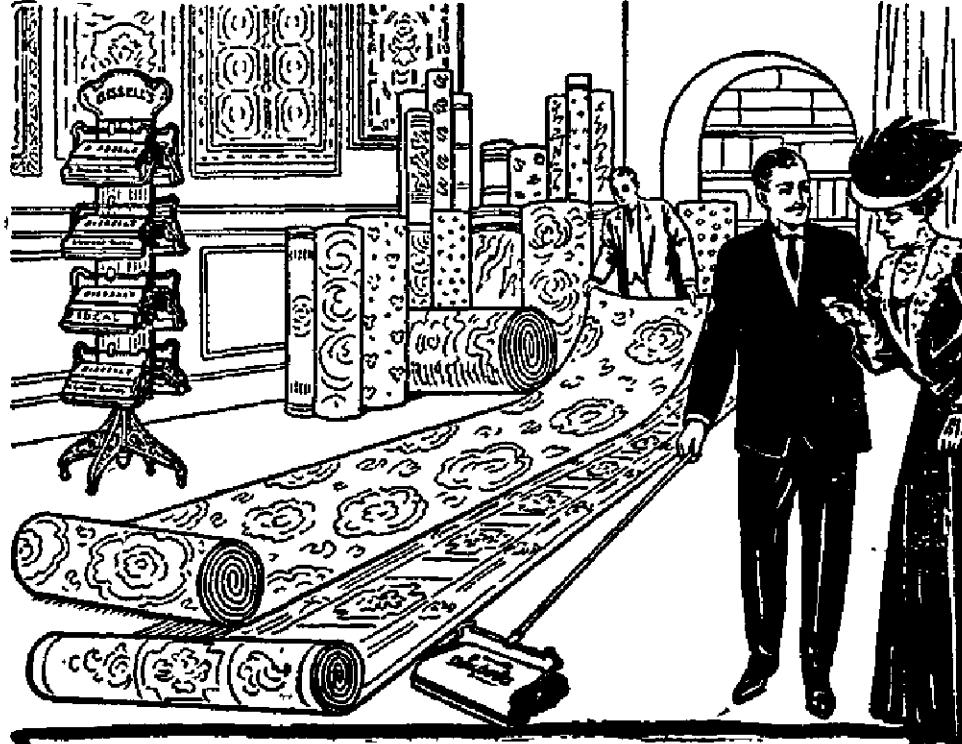
12 ROLLS Smith's best Tapestry Brussels. These are the best Tapestry Brussels goods made by the Smith Carpet Co., and are splendid wearing Carpets. We believe the Smith Carpets to be the best carpets made in this country in their respective grades and we strongly recommend them. These 12 rolls are all good patterns, some small and some large designs, and this price is lower than in panic times. Make up your mind to share in these wonderful Carpet Bargains. These sold at \$1. Our sale price making, laying and lining free at .79c

10 ROLLS of Smith's best Tapestry Brussels Carpets in Hall and Stairs. These are exceptionally good patterns and are seldom ever reduced in price. Sale price on this lot 83c

Famous Roxbury Carpets.

17 ROLLS. This is the finest piece of Ten Wire Tapestry Brussels Carpets made in this country, but every piece goes on sale at awful cut prices. These include Halls and Stairs, Florals and Orientals, Green, Red, Tan. Genuine Roxbury lines on back. These have sold for years at \$1.10 and up. Our sale price on Roxbury's 85c

14 STYLES Roxbury Borders. These are not quite as wide, but two widths-- make excellent Runners for Halls and Porches. These



\$17.00 Phillipsburg Rugs. These are the heaviest Rugs on the market by several pounds, so heavy that they will stay on the floor without tacking. These sell at \$20.00 and are bargains at that price, but during this sale Phillipsburg Rugs go special at 17.00

14.75 Roxbury Ten Wire Rugs. These are full 9x12 size and regular Ten Wire Carpet, the very best piece of Tapestry Brussels made in this country. We've a big lot of Roxbury Rugs--too many--so in goes the knife and so these \$20.00 Roxbury Rugs at 14.75

13.75 Roxbury Velvets are also a very good Rug to wear and they sold at \$20.00. Not many of these, but big bargains to those who get here first. Roxbury 9x12 Velvet Rugs 13.75

One Welton Rug 9x12 Color Red. This Rug was \$35.00. Sale Price 27.50

9x12 Matting Rugs, regular Room Size, Woven Rugs, worth \$4.50. Sale price 3.25

9x12 Jananese Printed Matting Rugs, room size, in a variety of designs. Our sale price 1.98

MADE-UP CARPET. Axminster Carpets were \$1.50 per yard. 9x12 feet 3 inches. 16 1-3 yards in Carpet, worth \$24.50. Our sale price 15.00

MADE-UP CARPET. Axminster Carpet, color Green. Floral Design. Size 9x12 feet 16 yeras in this carpet. Our sale price on this Carpet 12.50

sold at \$1.10 per yard, but we make these up for you. The special sale price 73c

1 ROLL Mattled Tapestry Brussels Carpet Suitable for Halls or Stairs, was 70. Special sale price 47c

Sultana Carpets, were 30c and 35c. Sale price 27c

15c Wool Fibre Carpet 29c

20c Jute Carpet at 14c

25c Plain Red Ingrain Carpet, sale price 31c

Velvet Brussels

1 ROLLS of Paislade Vel-

vet Brussels Carpet. Floral

Design in very pretty Tan

Shades. These sold at \$1

Made, laid and lined. Sale

price 79c

8 ROLLS of Smith's Vel-

vet Carpet, the \$1.25 grade. Colors, Tan, Green and Red, excellent wearing quality. Our best grade of Smith's Velvet and a very handsome piece of Carpet. Sale price 98c

7 ROLLS of Smith's Velvets in Halls and Stairs will go on special sale at 8.10

9 ROLLS Axminster in

regular parlor styles, colors,

Greens, Reds, and Tans and

are very beautiful. Florals,

Orientals and Two Tones.

Regular \$1.25 and \$1.35.

Our special price including

Making, Laying and Lining at 81.00

2 ROLLS Woodlocum Fil-

let, yard wide. Regular

price 15c. Sale price 25c

YOUR OPPORTUNITY

Don't overlook the importance of this sale, and the Heavy Reductions on all Brussels Carpets. We believe Carpets are better than Rugs--Cover the whole floor and at these prices it can be done for less than Rugs and is much nicer--If you need one or more Carpets--If you need a Hall or Stair Carpet--COME--Remember these are our best goods--None reserved--Absolutely everything as we say--The profit is all yours, and these prices are made right in the Carpet season--House Cleaning Time. **SALE BEGINS TO-DAY**
ENDS MONDAY, JUNE 24th, 1912

5th & McKean
Charleroi, Pa.

BERRYMAN'S

5th & McKean
Charleroi, Pa.



Author of "Dante's Inferno," Shown In Moving Pictures at Coyle Theatre.

BAPTISTS EASY FOR METHODISTS

HADES SHOWN AT ITS WORST

Church League Game Ends
With Score 8 to 1--Pollock
Pitches Well

Old Fashioned Kind Shown
in Moving Pictures of
Dante's Inferno

Great bucketsful of cold water

were dashed on the Baptist hopes in a baseball way by the Methodists in a five inning engagement Monday evening. Pollock pitched for the splashes and as evidence that he did a good job of it the fact is that the Linsay bats only gleaned four scattered safeties. Scheeler was box occupant for the all water delegation. The Methodists touched him right

lead in the pennant procession, while effects, and shows Dante and Virgil

the Baptists walked backward.

Methodists R H P A E

McKean, 1 1 0 1 0 0

Lowstutter, 3 1 0 1 1 1

Binns, 1 1 0 2 0 0

Righter, 2 1 3 2 0 0

P. Bege, c 0 0 8 0 0

Riggs, s 2 1 0 0 0

Kent, m 1 2 2 0 0

Reitz, r 1 1 0 0 0

Pollock, p 0 0 0 1 0

Total 8 8 15 3 1

Baptists R H P A E

Donahue, r 1 1 0 0 0

Biginni, 1 0 1 0 0 0

Deitz, 1 0 0 5 1 0

Kearnes, c 0 0 8 0 1

Lindsay, s 0 1 1 1 1

Reeves, 2 0 0 0 2 0

Adams, 3 0 0 1 1 1

Paxton, m 0 0 0 0 0

Scheeler, p 0 1 0 2 0

Total 1 4 15 7 3

Methodists 2 5 1 0 0

Baptists 0 0 1 0 0

Two base hits--Righter, Kent.

Three base hits--Reitz, Lindsay.

Stolen bases--Donahue, McKean,

Binns, Righter, 2, P. Bege, Riggs.

Struck out by Pollock 8, by Scheeler

7. Hit by pitcher--Lowstutter. Base

on balls--Off Scheeler 4. Umpires--

Mathias and Deitz.

CHARLEROI CHURCH LEAGUE

Last Night's Results.

Methodists 8, Baptists 1.

Standing of Clubs.

	W	L	P
First Pres	3	0	1000
Methodists	3	1	750
W. A. Pres	2	1	667
Christians	2	1	667
Baptists	1	2	333
Catholics	1	2	333
Episcopals	0	3	000
Lutherans	0	2	000

Games This Week.

Tuesday--Episcopals vs. First Pres.

Wednesday--Lutherans vs. Baptists.

Thursday--W. A. Presbyterians vs. Lutherans.

Friday--Christians vs. Catholics.

Learn to Fly an Aeroplane.

Now is the time. School now starting. Special low rates to applicants to start. Motor, propeller, construction and flying thoroughly taught. The field for Aviators is large. Get in at the start. Send for prices and terms. P. O. Box 614, Harrisburg, Pa.

They will be presented again this afternoon and evening, as well as tomorrow.

Notice.

I wish to notify the public that I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife.

George G. Bounce.

Notice.

Sealed bids will be received for the furnishing of 10,000 bushels, more or less of good grade Run of Mine Coal to be delivered to the several different School Buildings. Bids to be in hands of Secretary not later than July 2 at 6 p. m. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

J. M. Hill, Sec.

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L. M. Hill, Sec.

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"THE ORLEANS COACH," Palace Theatre, Tonight; Five Reels. Admission 10c, Children 5c.

THE CHARLEROI MAIL

VOI. NO. 265.

CHARLEROI, WASHINGTON CO., PA., TUESDAY, JUNE 11, 1912

One Cent

ANTICIPATE GREATEST CONVENTION IN HISTORY

Charleroi to be Mecca for Sunday School Workers Next Week

CONCERT FIRST EVENT

Monster Chorus to Give Recital Under Direction of Prof. I. T. Daniel

Charleroi will be the mecca of Sunday School and religious workers from all over Washington county next week when the Seventeenth Annual County Sunday School convention will be held. Many hundred visitors will be here as delegates to the convention, which it is expected by county officers will be the largest and best in the county's history, and in addition to this number there will be hundreds of others who will be irresistibly drawn here by the big event.

Final preparations are now being made by the county executive cabinet and the Charleroi district execu-

Voting on Bond Issue

North Charleroi Electors Deciding Today on \$14,000

Proposal

North Charleroi voters are today deciding whether or not the borough will be bonded to the extent of \$14,000 for the purpose of paying off a floating indebtedness and providing a fund for the purpose of borough improvement. It is believed the sentiment will be sufficiently favorable that the proposal will carry. It is intended in that event that \$10,000 of the amount be used to pay off the floating indebtedness and the balance, \$4,000, be used for street improvements.

SUNDAY SHINES TABOOED

Monessen Assumes Virtuous Attitude on Tender Subject

BURGESS ISSUES EDICT

Whether to be in fashion in the science of creating sensations or whether influenced by the Billy Sunday meetings being held somewhere up in Beaver county or whether just as a local notion is something not ascertained, but Monessen has taken a turn at being virtuous. Its virtue consists it is said in having the shoe shine parlors closed down after 10 o'clock each Sunday morning. Such a wonderful reform, it is authoritative stated, has created a big stir.

It is understood that previous to this there has never been any attempt made to enforce the Blue Laws by the government at the corner of Seventh street and Fallowfield avenue. This tent will cover the greatest part of the six lots there. It has just arrived from Chicago, and likely the work of erecting it will be started this week.

Rev. Murray C. Reiter, of Canonsburg, President of the Washington County Sunday School Association

active cabinet for the affair. The largest meetings of the convention will be held in a big convention tent that will be pitched on the grounds owned by the government at the corner of Seventh street and Fallowfield avenue. This tent will cover the greatest part of the six lots there. It has just arrived from Chicago, and likely the work of erecting it will be started this week.

The first event of note in connection with the convention will be a concert and recital to be given by the Charleroi Choral Society Wednesday evening, June 19. This will be truly one of the features of convention week. Prof. I. T. Daniel, supervisor of music in the Charleroi public schools, will direct this concert. Excellent chorus numbers are being prepared. The heaviest chorus selection will be the "Hallayjah Chorus" from Handel's Messiah. Other chorus numbers will be "Praise Ye The Father," by Gounod, "The Song of the Triton," and "Old Black Joe," the latter being a tuneful and beautiful arrangement of Stephen Fos-

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Do You Play Tennis?

If so come in and let us sell you a new Racket. Complete Line of Tennis Goods. Night's Book Store.

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THE AIM

of our management is to transact all banking business in the most expeditious and satisfactory manner. And we believe that our customers appreciate this care and dispatch.

Accounts subject to check are cordially invited

Open Saturday Evenings from 6:00 to 9 o'clock
4 Per cent. Interest Paid on Savings Accounts
Depository for the State of Pennsylvania.

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RIBARIK BRAVELY MEETS HIS DOOM

Canonsburg Murderer Stolid Up Until Moment of His Hanging at Washington--Arose Early, Eating No Breakfast

His nerve never breaking and his apparent unconcern showing to the end. Jan Ribarik, the Canonsburg murderer of two men and one woman met his doom this morning shortly

as he had been reared in that faith he would die in it.

In a clear voice Ribarik responded

to the questions put to him just a moment before the execution. Then

was pronounced dead in 19 minutes the black mask was pulled over his

face, and the trap sprung at 10:05 a

o'clock. The ceremony was in itself

simple, characterized mainly by the

solidness of the murderer himself.

He had Monday night made his swi-

te of a Catholic priest, stating that

as he had been reared in that faith

he would die in it.

In a clear voice Ribarik responded

to the questions put to him just a

moment before the execution. Then

was pronounced dead by the attending physicians.

After the man had been pronounced dead by the attending physicians,

the daughter of the man took charge

The door of his cell was opened a

trifle more than usual to allow him an

opportunity to say his last farewells.

Ribarik made a demonstration as if to

strike her. The door was quickly

closed and the interview terminated.

Ribarik was accompanied to the scaffold by his chosen spiritual advisor.

for killing a family of three.

VERY FEW HOUSES NOW TO BE RENTED

Hard to Find Vacant Homes In Charleroi--Rather Remarkable Considering State of Industrial Affairs

One of the anomalies of Charleroi is that at the present time there are practically no vacant houses for rent; that is, what is known as good houses. Every desirable house is taken, and about the only available domicile is what is known as the "shack" variety, and even these are not plentiful at all times. This condition, at a time when the Pittsburg Plate Glass factory has been idle for a year as well as the Charleroi Coal Works, at which about 1,000 people were formerly employed, is somewhat remarkable.

The chief cause for this condition, according to local real estate men, is that Charleroi is a desirable residence town. While many moved away when the Plate Glass factory shut down, many more moved in, particularly from Monessen. The big steel interests has filled up that town to

such an extent that street car service is necessary in many cases to reach desirable residence districts by those employed at the mills there, and many of these now live in Charleroi.

This town is also the residence place of a number of citizens who travel the demand for residences for outside people is increasing, and more good houses could be rented right along if they were available.

Charleroi has good schools and churches, and is a clean and well-governed town. It is the most desirable residence town in the whole valley, and it is now the recognized

headquarters for those who work up and down the valley in an industrial and commercial capacity. Scarcely

a day passes that there is not an inquiry for desirable houses for rent, as well as flats and rooms for light housekeeping.

COMES TO DEFENSE OF HIS ANCESTRY

Edward Callaghan Makes Speech and Reads Letters From Secretary of War

IS AFTER DETRACTORS OPPOSE HALAPY'S PLAN

In order to refute a charge reflecting upon the Irish race that arose in his canvass as a candidate for the Presidency of the United States, Hon. Edward Callaghan made an address

Monday evening at the corner of Fifth street and Fallowfield avenue. The charge had been made that out of 144,000 constituents of Irish in the United States army during the civil war there were 104,000 desertions. These figures were purported to have been taken from the reports of the war department at Washington.

Mailing the memorandum to the war department Mr. Callaghan sent a letter of explanation, and asked if the charges could be verified. Expressing his disbelief that the charges were true, Mr. Callaghan said, in his letter to Secretary of War Dickinson:

"If the enclosed figures are correct

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MAY START BUILDING WORK LAST OF MONTH

Wilson The Man Killed

Identification is Made of Stranger Found Dead on

Tracks at Fayette City

The mangled body of the man found on the railroad track near the Fayette City coal tipple at Fayette City Sunday has been identified as the body of John Clarence Wilson, of Newell. It is said that Wilson had left home Sunday, his family not knowing where he had gone. After hearing of the finding of a man's body at Fayette City, one of the sons went to that place late Monday and identified the man as his father. The widow and six children survive.

ASSUMES CONTROL OF ROADS

State Department Notifies County Commissioners of Change

PLANS ARE ANNOUNCED

County Commissioners Thomas Hill, John A. Berry and A. P. Barnum Saturday received a letter from E. A. Jones, a deputy in the State Highway department at Harrisburg, officially

notifying them that since June 1, the state through that department had

assumed control and full charge of the sections of certain named and numbered routes of which certain roads in Washington county are a part. These are the state highways

designated in the general highway bill upon which the \$50,000,000 will be spent during the next few years

under the direction of the department of which E. M. Bigelow is the head. The only exceptions are county roads, sections of routes extending through boroughs and roads owned or controlled by toll-road corporations or other private corporations.

The state in the Sprout road act has numbered these roads and they will be found enumerated below. The supervisor for the care and maintenance of these roads recently appointed is Ner O. Brownlee of Buffalo township, who has already taken up his work. Supervisor Brownlee enters upon his work with years of experience back of him as a road man

will have the general supervision of all these roads in Washington county, that is, have the care and maintenance of them. Mr. Brownlee will have nothing to do with new work, only the looking after of those roads already constructed.

There is one exception and that is the National pike. At the present time this road in this county

is held up temporarily until an additional appropriation could be put through the foundation having proved more costly than anticipated. The Chicago man was of the opinion that the Charleroi excavating and foundation work would present no serious difficulties.

On June 20 and 21, according to present arrangements the government site will be used by the Washington County Sunday School association for their convention, a large tent to be pitched there. The ground will have to be leveled off. The instructions are to the committees that they remove their tent within a very few days after the convention is over.

Notice.

Sealed bids for the furnishing of Paper Goods and other general supplies for Charleroi Public Schools will be received by the Secretary, E. M. Hill until Tuesday evening, July 2 at 6 o'clock. Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids. List of supplies can be had from the Secretary.

J. M. Hill, Sec.

265-12-w-tf

June Weddings

Perhaps we can help you solve the troublesome gift problem. We shall be glad to show you a carefully selected assortment of suitable gifts for the happy pair. Useful and pretty things in cut glass, silver-ware, ornamental pieces of all sorts.

Prices. We will simply say that in buying our stock, we have kept in mind two requisites. First, high quality and tasteful designs, second, the lowest consistent prices.

John B. Schafer
Manufacturing Jeweler. Charleroi, Pa.

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LOCAL AGENCIES

G. S. Might.....Charleroi
Mrs. Belle Sharpnack.....Lock No. 4
J. T. Hixenbaugh.....Belle Vernon

June 11 in American History.

1776—The Continental Congress named the committee of five to draft the Declaration of Independence.

1870—William Gilmore Simms, novelist of southern life, died, born 1806.

1898—Spaniards attacked United States marines at Guantánamo, first fight of America in Cuba.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow.) Sun sets 7:39, rises 4:28. Evening Stars Mars, Jupiter. Morning stars Venus, Mercury, Saturn.

CHRISTIAN CITIZENSHIP.

The interest manifested in the approaching county Sunday school convention, which is to be held in Charleroi next week, shows the magnitude and zeal of Sunday school work throughout the country. This awakening, particularly among the men, is a demonstration of the great growth of Christian citizenship that is causing such a revival of the Democratic spirit in every state in the union. Men are realizing for the first time their individual responsibility of citizenship, and that merely to profess the precepts of Christianity is not sufficient for working out the destiny and salvation of man. They must live up to these precepts and work for their influence in every phase of life.

For the first time, perhaps, leaders in social reform are realizing that the best means for attaining Christian citizenship is not to try to induce men to vote and work in a certain way, but extra efforts are being put forth to induce men to go to the polls and vote. Party affiliation cuts little figure provided every elector casts his ballot for the candidate of his choice.

The great majority of voters are men of morality and good impulses, and so long as all vote there is little danger of getting bad men in office. The danger is, that since heretofore has been that man, men did not vote at all, and a minority with special interest to serve has always been able to elect their candidates and control the government.

Now a new tack has been made. Churches and civic bodies are lining their voters up and urging them to attend the suggestion meetings and caucuses, and to vote at the primaries and general election. No matter how or for whom they vote, the great and

in the elections and vote. If a voter is imbued with the true spirit of citizenship as the majority of them are, he will select the best men of his party as the candidates of his choice. When this is done there is little to fear.

Indifference has heretofore been the cause of all the political corruption and misgovernment.

LABOR AND LIVING.

Coal cutting machines and coke drawing and loading machines are supplanting labor at the coke works, and steam shovels and steam rollers are doing the work of many men in building railroads and public highways, says the Connellsville Courier.

Time was when these would have been denounced as inventions of the devil, created for the purpose of taking the bread out of the mouths of the workingmen. In those days there was always more men than jobs; now there is more employment than labor. Then the laboring man received low wages and enjoyed few comforts; now he gets good wages and regards as necessities what were a short time since luxuries.

This is his fortune, not his fault. He is enjoying the general uplift in living conditions which we have evidently denounced every now and then as the high cost of living.

This complaint is, however, not without reason. The conditions conspire to make high prices, but dealers frequently and arbitrarily raise prices to extortiorate attitudes. These extortions are popularly blamed on the various Food Trusts, and perhaps with reason, but it remains a fact that extortior is practiced all the way down the line to the retail dealers. It was recently discovered that Pittsburgh retail dealers in green goods were exceeding the tariff limit and the wholesalers for a time published their prices to show just how and where the public was being pinched.

It speaks much for the progress of our country that despite the introduction of labor-saving devices of every description the wages of labor have steadily increased and the home comforts and advantages have constantly multiplied. That is the way it should be. Steady prosperity is a blessing the avarice that prompts extortior is a curse.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

Sometimes one is tempted to wonder if conventions don't tend to add to the high cost of living.

Bryan admits that Roosevelt sees what he did, but claims priority of claim, which is just like W. J.

A real reformer is an umpire who is willing to turn a new leaf and manage a ball club.

The way to make sure of happy memories is to marry them.

It usually happens that when a man buys a new hat his friends are as ready to tell him how to wear it as though it were a gold medal.

Ed. Howe, the Atchison, Kan., philosopher suggests that everyone ought to be settled as effectually as supremacy in baseball. Imagine Taft and Roosevelt playing it off.

So far as can be learned Congress has accomplished this year the arduous tasks of investigating Lorimer, listening to Lorimer's speech, seeing to it that Lorimer's and hundreds of other speeches on Lorimer were put into the Congressional Record and reporting Lorimer's case satisfactorily to him. As a matter of fact some of them prepared a bill or two to spend their spare time fighting it over.

It was never known until the other day why the cost of milk was so high. Roosevelt is consuming such quantities of it that the supply is becoming limited.

Men with the worst memories, while debtors have the best memories as creditors.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

A woman who was a recent visitor in Charleroi told how the young son of a friend qualified at boarding school. Jimmie which was the lad's name, was most popular at home, but his first week at school found him too homesick to make friends.

"I'm way behind the other boys in everything," he wrote dolefully. "Isn't only studies, but it's gymnasium and banjos and everything. I don't believe they'll ever have much use for me."

But the second letter, written after

a week in the new school, was quite different in tone.

"I'm all right," he wrote to his mother. "The boys say they'll teach me all they know, for they're proud to have me here. I can stretch my mouth half an inch wider than any other boy in school, and my feet are the longest by a full inch. So you needn't worry about me any more."

"These advertisements of midsummer bargains that are beginning to appear in the papers reminds me of George Lusden, a former pioneer shoe dealer of Charleroi, who used to have some most original terms and expressions," said a Charleroi business man. "Passing Lusden's shoe store one day, where he was standing in the doorway, surrounded by 'bargain' trays of marked down shoes I asked:

"How's business George?" "Good!" he exclaimed. "I got rid of a pair of 'old crabs' today."

"Old crabs?" I asked. What are they?"

"Old stock—the 9's, 10's and 11's of the styles of year before last and the year before that and back."

"But why do you call them crabs?"

"Oh, because they're such slow moving stuff."

SUNDAY SHINES

ARE TABOOED

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the Monessen Independent says:

"If you want a measure taken for a suit of clothes there will be no trouble experienced. The tailor shop is open.

If you want a load of groceries,

a dish of ice cream, a cigar, an order of meat, a pair of shoes, or anything

most that is necessary for the household, it is on the market Sunday as well as any other day. Those who like a wide open town have no hesitancy in coming to Monessen on Sunday."

Entertained at Washington.

Mrs. R. M. Smith of Akron, Ohio, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Richardson of Lincoln avenue, was at Washington Monday, where Mrs. A. V. Lewis gave a luncheon and bridge party at the country club in her honor.

Sale of Bonds.

The Committee on Finance of the School District of the Borough of Charleroi will receive sealed bids at the Charleroi Savings & Trust Co. in the Borough of Charleroi, up until Thursday, June 29th, 1912, at eight o'clock p. m., for the purchase of 70, 4 1-2 per cent, Tax Free, Coupon Bonds of denomination of \$1,000.00, numbered from 1 to 70, both numbers inclusive; dated July 1, 1912, and principal payable at the office of the Treasurer of the School District in the Borough of Charleroi, as follows: \$3,000.00 on July 1, 1915; \$1,000.00 on July 1, 1916; \$1,000.00 on July 1, 1917; \$3,000.00 on July 1, 1918; \$3,000.00 on July 1, 1920; \$1,000.00 on July 1, 1921; \$3,000.00 on July 1, 1923; \$2,000.00 on July 1, 1924; \$2,000.00 on July 1, 1926; \$2,000.00 on July 1, 1927; \$4,000.00 on July 1, 1930; \$4,000.00 on July 1, 1932; \$4,000.00 on July 1, 1933; \$1,000.00 on July 1, 1935; \$4,000.00 on July 1, 1936; \$4,000.00 on July 1, 1937; \$5,000.00 on July 1, 1938; \$5,000.00 on July 1, 1939; \$5,000.00 on July 1, 1940; \$5,000.00 on July 1, 1941; \$5,000.00 on July 1, 1942; and interest payable at the office of the Treasurer of the School district semi-annually, on January 1st, and July 1st.

Said bonds are issued for the purpose of erecting, furnishing and equipping a School Building for said district.

All bids to be mailed to J. M. Hill, Secretary of the School Board, Charleroi, Pa., marked "Bid for Bonds," and each bid must be accompanied with certified check for two per cent of amount of bonds bid for; the right to reject any and all bids reserved to the School District.

T. R. Eagey
H. J. Booth
R. C. Mountsier
Committee of Finance

J-3-11-13

LEGAL NOTICE

To Emma Young and Oscar Hartley, guardian of Harry B. Young, Abram L. Young, Amy M. Bradbury, and James E. Young, heirs of Morgan Young, deceased, or the heirs of assigns of any of above parties or any other interested parties.

Notice is hereby given that the Court of Common Pleas of Washington County, Pennsylvania, by proceedings filed in the Prothonotary's

office of said County, at Number 184

November Term, 1911, approved and directed to be filed a bond of The Pennsylvania, Monongahela & Southern Railroad Company, with the American Surety Company of New York, as surety thereon in the sum of One Thousand Nine Hundred (\$1,900.00) Dollars, for the use of the person or persons who may be found

to be entitled to the damages for the taking and appropriation, or materials, or for the damage or injury to

a tract of land situate in East

Bethlehem Township, Washington

County, Pennsylvania, which is bound-

ed and described as follows:

All that certain triangular shaped lot or piece of land situate in the Township of East Bethlehem, County of Washington and State of Pennsyl-

sylvania, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point formed by the

intersection of the Southerly line of

School Alley with the Easterly line of

Oak Alley, as the said Alleys are

shown on the plan of Millsboro, and

extending thence along the Southerly

line of School Alley North seventy

degrees fifty-five minutes East sixty-

four feet and two tenths of a foot to

a point; thence by land of the Estate

of Morgan Young, deceased on a line

parallel with the line established for

the center line of the railroad of the

said Pennsylvania, Monongahela and

Southern Railroad company and fifty

feet distant Southeastwardly there-

from on a line curving toward the

West, with a radius of one thousand

one hundred and sixty feet and one

tenth of a foot a distance of eighty-

six feet and four tenths of a foot to

a point in the Easterly line of Oak

Alley aforesaid; and thence along the

Easterly line of said Alley North

nineteen degrees five minutes West

forty-eight feet and five tenths of a

foot to the place of beginning. Con-

taining forty-three one-thousandths of an acre, more or less

That upon petition of the said

Railroad company and of Emma

Young and Oscar Hartley, guardian

of Harry B. Young, the following

viewers, to wit, Grant E. Hess, Esq.,

William Wyke, C. E. and C. C. Dunn

were appointed by the said Court to

assess such damages as the owners

of said land sustained and fixed the

time for meeting of the said viewers

upon the premises for Thursday, the

27th day of June, 1911, at one o'clock

p. m.

All interested parties may be

present or represented at the meeting

of said viewers and at any subse-

quent proceedings if they so desire.

ANTICIPATE GREATEST CONVENTION IN HISTORY

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ter's divine melody. A women's chorus number, "May Morning," by Denzi, and a male chorus number "Absence," by Dudley Buck will constitute a portion of the program. One of the finer numbers, it is expected though will be the noted Sextet from Lucia. Nearly everyone is familiar with this exquisite bit of melody and harmony, and many have heard it rendered by grand opera singers. Readings will fill out the program.

The two convention days, June 20 and 21, will be packed full of good things for Sunday School people. It is doubtful if all the delegates themselves will be on hand and registered on the first morning of the convention until the program is well under way. The first event that will attract public attention will be a children's parade on Thursday morning, at 10 o'clock.

Conferences will constitute the feature of the two days' session. All the various departments of Sunday School work as carried on by the county will have conferences and at least two will have banquets.

ASSUMES CONTROL OF ROADS

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is under the supervision of Jacob Zelt, Jr., for the eastern end and Nelson McNeal for the western end. But all the other state roads enumerated in these routes and any other roads under the State Highway department will have Mr. Brownlee's supervision.

The routes in Washington county are as follows:

No. 108—From Pittsburg to Washington.

No. 109—From Washington to Waynesburg.

No. 113—From Uniontown to Washington.

No. 114—From Washington to the West Virginia state line.

No. 115—From Washington to Beaver.

No. 118—From Greensburg to Washington by way of Charleroi, Fallerville, Bentleyville, Vanceville and Zediker into Washington.

No. 181—From Washington to Greensburg.

No. 242—From Washington to the West Virginia state line.

No. 247—From Pittsburg to Uniontown by way of Finleyville and Monongahela City to Charleroi; thence route 118 to Belle Vernon; thence by way of Fayette City, Star Junction and Vanderbilt to Connellsburg; thence over 117 into Uniontown, Fayette county.

No. 268—From Greensburg to Waynesburg—Commencing in Greensburg and running over route 118 to Charleroi; thence by way of Alenport, California, West Brownsville and Millsboro to a point on the dividing line between Washington and Greene counties; thence by way of Clarksville and Jefferson into Waynesburg, Greene county.

COMES TO DEFENSE OF HIS ANCESTRY

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I want the seal of approval on them. I will then withdraw as the Democratic candidate for President, and renounce my allegiance to the United States, and leave this country forever. If they are not correct, I want the secretary of war to proceed at once to locate and punish the guilty parties for defaming a warlike race, and compromising the United States government."

In reply Secretary of War Dickinson sent to Mr. Callaghan some memorandums, stating that no compilation had ever been made by the government showing the nativity of the whole number of men accepted for military service during the civil war. The actual number of deserters during the civil war are unknown, but approximately 117,247 were reported, many from whom this disability has since been removed.

In scoring and refuting these charges, Mr. Callaghan read the entire correspondence between himself and Secretary Dickinson. He also stated that his speech was not in the interest of any individual Irishman or faction, but was in the interests of the whole race, which he defended from the aspersions cast upon it. He also stated that he knew of Irishmen holding office under the Taft administration who, if he (Callaghan) were



elected President would be asked to get out.

"I believe like Jackson that to the victor belongs the spoils," said Mr. Callaghan, "and if the civil service law prevented me from appointing a man to office that I knew voted for me, I would fight to have the civil service law repealed."

MOST MARVELOUS KIDNEY REMEDY

W. F. Hennings and Piper Bros. Sell It On Money Back Plan for all Kidney, Bladder and Female Diseases.

If you are troubled with backache, sideache, spots before eyes, dizziness or high colored urine, the chances are you have sick kidneys and ought to take Thompson's Barosma right now.

We have grateful testimonials from people who know that Thompson's Barosma has cured them and will send this proof to any one.

Being liquid the very first dose begins to act on the kidneys and free them from the poisonous matter that is clogging them and rapidly bringing on Bright's disease or some other serious disorder.

When constipation is present Thompson's Dandelion and Mandrake Pills (25 cents) should always be taken. Two sizes of Thompson's Barosma—50 cents and \$1.00 at Piper Bros. and W. F. Hennings, Thompson Medical Co., Titusville, Pa.

COUNTY OFFICERS COMING TONIGHT

Unable to attend the conference of district officers of the Charleroi district Washington County Sunday School Association here last week, some of the county officers are expected to attend a weekly district cabinet meeting tonight, which will be held in Christ Lutheran church. Rev. Murray C. Reiter, president of the county association and Mrs. Mary L. Stewart the county field secretary, will both probably be here. Matters of final preparation for the convention will be taken up.

LOCAL MENTION

Don Pyle Hawkins, Beallsville correspondent of the Mail, and local editor of the Bentleyville Times, together with Dr. L. D. Sargeant, of Beallsville, were in Charleroi this morning on their way to Donora to attend a medical meeting.

I. D. Haines is moving from Sharon to Charleroi.

Dr. H. E. Frye, of Bentleyville, was a visitor in Charleroi.

Ewing B. Todd is spending the day in Pittsburgh.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. McVay are spending the day in Pittsburgh.

Miss Margaret Jones, of Pittsburgh, is visiting friends in Charleroi.

Miss Lulu Trew visited in Pittsburgh Monday.

Mrs. Carl Burnett, of Sharpsburg, has returned home after spending a few days at the home of Mrs. L. R. Walters, of Meadow avenue.

Miss Vida Goehring of Meadow avenue is spending the day in Pittsburgh.

Ralph Grandstaff and William Wade of Cleveland, Ohio were over Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Sanders.

Mrs. B. Matson and Mrs. I. Yarnall of Meadow avenue have gone to Logan, Ohio, to attend the funeral of their father, Mr. Buchanan who died of cancer.

Miss Fairley of Duquesne is visiting her sister, Mrs. S. H. N. Gerwig of Washington avenue.

George E. Niver went to Washington Sunday to work on the engineer corps of the State Highway Department. He is now located at Hickory.

COKEBURG MAN HURT IN FIGHT

Morris Bang a well known meat dealer of Cokeburg, is at his home suffering from numerous stab wounds and in a serious condition as the result of a fight for all right, precipitated it is claimed, by foreigners who were refused beer at the picnic of the Cokeburg Lodge of Owls Sunday afternoon. A foreigner whose name is unknown and who is charged with having caused Bang's wounds is in the lockup at Cokeburg held pending the outcome of Bang's injuries.

THREE PLEADERS ARE SENTENCED

Three pleaders were before the court at Washington Monday morning for sentence. James Singleton of Washington, a barber, entered a plea of guilty to a charge of desertion and non support preferred by his wife, Mary Singleton. He was directed to pay the costs, pay his wife \$5 a week and give bond for the faithful compliance with the order in the sum of \$500.

Irvin Artis, a young man of Carroll township, entered a plea of guilty to a serious charge preferred by Martha Hoag. He was directed to pay the prosecutrix \$20 and \$2 a week for a specified period, and pay the costs of the case. He is to give bond in the sum of \$500, giving his own recognizance for compliance with the order.

Martin Miller of the Frances mine, near Burgettstown, was sentenced to pay the costs and a fine of \$10 on a charge of assault and battery.

"THE ORLEANS COACH" COMING TO PALACE

Tonight the Palace Theatre will present the big three-reel Pathé film, "The Orleans Coach," a subject that has all the intensive interest of a Dumas romance of the historical period of France when the great Napoleon was emperor. The plot is a most intricate and thrilling one, and the scenes are presented with a dash of the romantic which grips human interest from the start. Two other reels will also be presented, making a five-reel exhibition for tonight.

WILL GIVE DANCE TONIGHT AT ELDORA

Tonight a summer dance will be held by a committee of Charleroi young men at Eldora Park, that it is expected will prove one of the most pleasant social functions of the season. Dancing will be from 8 to 12.

MONESSEN ORDER CELEBRATES SUNDAY

With a parade in which it is estimated there were almost 2,000 men in line, the Croatian Beneficial Society No. 194 N. C. S. of Monessen Sunday afternoon celebrated the tenth anniversary of the founding of their local branch. Five bands, 15 automobiles filled with the speakers, officers of the order and distinguished guests and the marchers after traversing the principal streets of the town proceeded to McMahan borough where a speakers' stand had been erected and where also a dozen sheep were being served to be served at a supper given in the evening.

Delegations were present from all of the river valley towns and many from Pittsburgh. Local societies assisted in the ceremonies there being a total of eleven different orders in line.

For a few cents you can make your floors look very inviting with LAWRENCE Floor Paints. Bowers Hardware Co., 540 Pallowfield avenue and 6th street Charleroi, Pa.

FOR SALE

Eleven roomed frame house or property of Charleroi School District, Crest avenue and Sixth street. To be removed by purchaser. Bids to be in hands of secretary not later than June 11. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

J. M. Hill, Secretary
260-25

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Save Rubbing
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MRS. STEVENS RECOVERS

After Years of Suffering Tells How Her Health Was Regained.

Waurika, Okla.—"I had female troubles for seven years, was all run down, and so nervous I could not do anything. The doctors treated me for different things but did me no good. I got so bad that I could not sleep day or night. While in this condition I read of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and began its use and wrote to you for special advice. In a short time I had regained my health and am now strong and well."—Mrs. SALLIE STEVENS, R. F. D., No. 2, Comanche, Okla.

Another Woman Recovers.

Newton, N. H.—"For five years I suffered from female weakness and dragging down pains. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has restored my health and the pains are gone."—Mrs. F. A. PEASLEE, R. F. D., Box 88.

Because your case is a difficult one, doctors having done you no good, do not continue to suffer without giving Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial. It surely has remedied many cases of female ills, such as inflammation, ulceration, displacements, tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, and it may be exactly what you need.

If you want special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.

DON'T BE MISLED

Charleroi Citizens Should Read and Heed This Advice.

Kidney trouble is dangerous and often fatal.

Don't experiment with something new and untried.

Use a tested and proven kidney remedy.

Begin with Doan's Kidney Pills.

Used in kidney troubles 75 years. Doan's have cured thousands.

Are recommended here and everywhere.

A Charleroi citizen's statement forms convincing proof.

It's local testimony—it can be investigated.

Mrs. B. Mahoney, 823 McLean avenue, Charleroi, Pa., says: "For a long time a member of our family complained of pains in the small of the back. Seeing Doan's Kidney Pills highly advertised, a box was procured at Piper Bros' Drug Store and their use was begun. They brought such great relief that I do not hesitate to recommend them to other kidney sufferers."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's and take no other.

Tuberculosis Medicine Saved This Man's Life

Pneumonia is a serious disease, and often lays the foundation for chronic lung troubles—sometimes Tuberculosis results. After Pneumonia, or any serious or stubborn cold, it is wise to take Eckman's Alternative.

Don't wait to find out whether the trouble is getting worse, but take Eckman's Alternative in time and avoid the dangers of disease. Read of the recovery in this case:

336 No. 41st St., Philadelphia, Pa.

"Gentlemen, I am getting along very well and gaining strength all the time, now weigh 154 pounds, a gain since September 16, 1907, of 28 pounds more than when I first started to take the Alternative. I wish I had known of it two years ago as it would have saved me many months and distress."

"I was suffering from a very serious abscessed lung, which followed a bad attack of pneumonia. My physician and a specialist declared my case hopeless."

"I cannot but be very thankful to you and the Almighty God for the great blessing and change of health it has brought me."

"Since writing the above statement I wish to say that I have fully recovered my health, having been cured for over three years."

(Signed Affidavit) THOS. REILLY.

Eckman's Alternative is effective to Bronchitis, Asthma, Hay Fever; Throat and Lung Troubles, and in upbuilding the system. Does not contain poisons, opiates or habit-forming drugs. Ask for booklet of cured cases and write to Eckman Laboratory, Philadelphia, Pa., for more evidence. For sale by all leading druggists and

The Opportunity of the Hour Sacrifice Sale

Sale Begins Today, Ends Monday, June 24

7500 Yards BRESSELS CARPET--Our Entire Line at
Sacrifice Prices--Hundreds of Rugs at Cut Prices

The most wonderful Carpet Price Reduction ever offered by this store, or for that matter by any store in this valley. These are ruinous prices and its your opportunity to make Big Savings. There's a reason and speaking plain-- we're loaded with Carpets--One hundred and fifty rolls and they are selling too slowly--that's not our way--Out they go, if they wont sell at a profit, we'll sell them at a loss that's the story, and now is your chance to pocket our loss--Don't put off, but make up your mind to get some of these splendid Carpet Values while the price is off. Hundreds of Rugs go on sale at Remarkable Cuts--every item will be just as we advertise-- Hotels and other large users should come to this sale--if price cutting will do it--There will be a lot of Carpets sold this week.

Brussel Carpets

5 ROLLS of Seven W. Tapestry Brussels Carpets, an all wool top carpet. The come Fly's and Oriental designs. Colors Reds, greens, and tans, worth regular \$1.00 per sq. yd. Our special price includes making, laying and lining. \$39c

7 ROLLS of Seven Wire Smith's Tapestry Brussels Carpets. Neat designs in ft. Halls, Stairs and Bed Rooms. These styles are all pretty and at these special prices you should hasten to supply your needs. Prices include making, laying, lining. \$62c

6 ROLLS of Smith's eight Wire Tapestry Brussels Carpets. These are made on the famous Alex Smith & Son carpet mills and are the best grade of Eight Wire, wool top Brussels. These come in Reds, Tans and Greens, and the price was 90c. Our special sale price includes making, laying and lining, \$69c

15 ROLLS Smith's eight Wire Brussels Carpets in neat patterns, small figures, also some florals and orientals, most any color you need, and our lowest price was 90c. For this sale as long as they last they will be made, laid and lined for \$75c

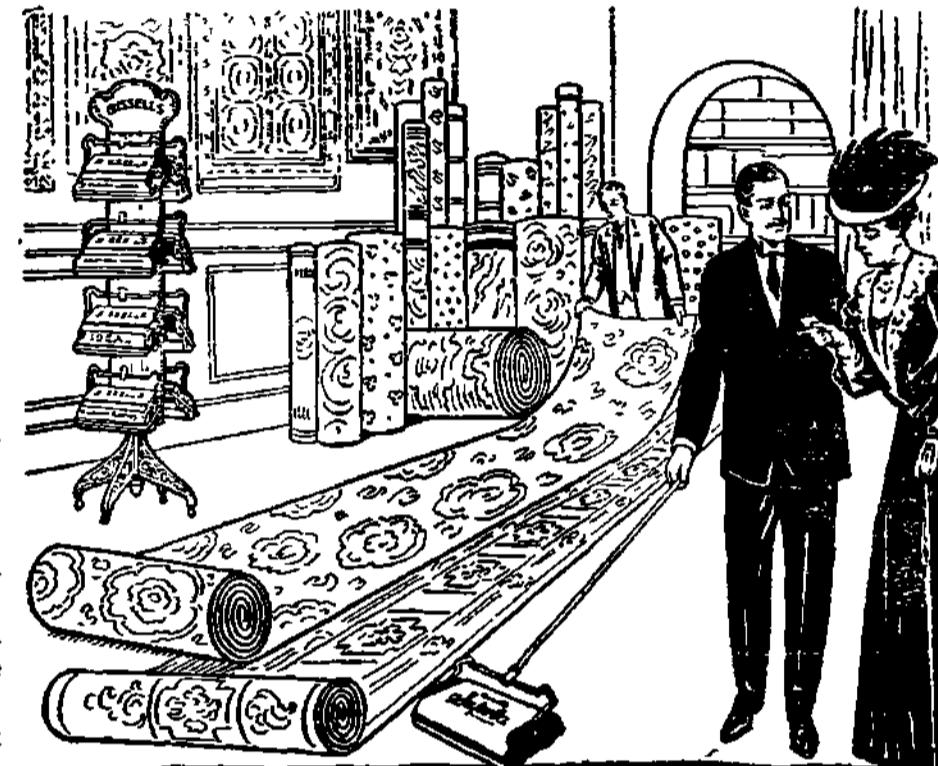
12 ROLLS Smith's best Tapestry Brussels. These are the best Tapestry Brussels goods made by the Smith Carpet Co., and are splendid wearing Carpets. We believe the Smith Carpets to be the best carpets made in this country in their respective grades and we strongly recommend them. These 12 rolls are all good patterns, some small and some large designs, and this price is lower than in panic times. Make up your mind to share in these wonderful Carpet Bargains. These sold at \$1. Our sale price, making, laying and lining free at \$79c

10 ROLLS of Smith's best Tapestry Brussels Carpets in Halls and Stairs. These are exceptionally good patterns and are seldom ever reduced in price. Sale price on this lot \$83c

Famous Roxbury Carpets.

17 ROLLS. This is the finest piece of Ten Wire Tapestry Brussels Carpets made in this country, but every piece goes on sale at awful cut prices. These include Halls and Stairs, Florals and Orientals, Green, Red, Tan, Genuine Roxbury lines on back. These have sold for years at \$1.10 and up. Our sale price on Roxbury's \$85c

14 STYLES Roxbury Borders. These are not quite as wide, but two widths make excellent Runners for Halls and Porches. These



\$17.00 Phillipsburg Rugs. These are the heaviest Rugs on the market by several pounds, so heavy that they will stay on the floor without tacking. These sell at \$20.00 and are bargains at that price, but during this sale Phillipsburg Rugs go special at \$17.00

14.75 Roxbury Ten Wire Rugs. These are full 9x12 size and regular Ten Wire Carpet, the very best piece of Tapestry Brussels made in this country. We've a big lot of Roxbury Rugs--too many--so in goes the knife and so these \$20.00 Roxbury Rugs at \$14.75

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One Weston Rug 9x12 Color Red. This Rug was \$35.00. Sale Price \$27.50

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9x12 Japanned Printed Matting Rugs, room size, in a variety of designs. Our sale price \$1.99

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MADE-UP CARPET. Axminster Carpet, color Green. Floral Design Size 9x12 feet 16 yeras in this carpet. Our sale price on this Carpet \$12.50

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45c Wool Fibre Carpet 29c

25c Jute Carpet at 14c

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1 ROLL of Palmed Velvet Brussels Carpet. Floral Design in very pretty Tan Shades. These sold at \$1. Made, laid and lined \$1. Sale price .79c

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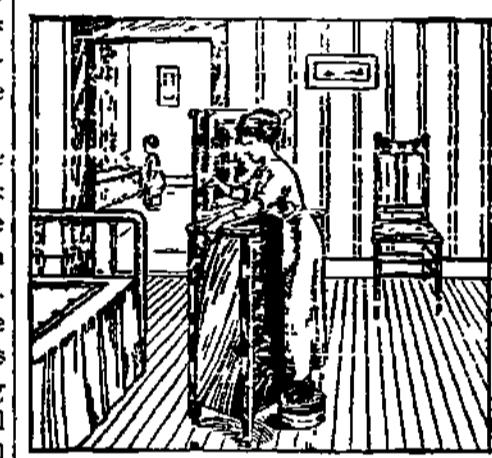
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Christians	2	1	667
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Catholics	1	2	333
Episcopal	0	3	000
Lutherans	0	2	000

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